



United States Department of Justice

# Office on Violence Against Women

*Working Together to End the Violence*

**WASHINGTON, D.C. METROPOLITAN REGIONAL SUMMIT II**  
**"COORDINATING INTER-JURISDICTIONAL RESPONSES IN THE**  
**WASHINGTON D.C. METROPOLITAN AREA"**

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**"DIFFERENT ROLES, SAME GOALS"**

**MANDARIN ORIENTAL HOTEL**  
**1330 MARYLAND AVE, SW**  
**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20024**

**GRAND BALLROOM**

**Thursday, July 17<sup>th</sup>**

- 7:30 am      **Registration, foyer, Grand Ballroom A&B**
- Continental Breakfast, Grand Ballroom C**
- 8:30 am      **Opening Remarks**  
                 **Grand Ballroom A&B**  
                 **Kirsten Rowe Phillips**, Principal Deputy Director, will introduce Director  
                 **Dyer**  
                 **Honorable Cindy Dyer, J.D.**, Director, Office on Violence Against  
                 Women – confirmed (may begin at 8:45 a.m. instead of 8:30 a.m.)
- 9:00 am      **Keynote Speech**  
                 **Cathy Lanier**, Chief, Washington D.C. Metropolitan Police Department -
- 9:45 am      **Honoring Survivors of Violence**  
                 **Grand Ballroom A&B**
- Hearing Voices of Survivors**  
                 **Mildred Muhammad**, Director, After the Trauma, Inc.  
                 **Yvette Cade**, Director, Yvette Cade Fund
- 10:30 am      **Refreshment Break, foyer, Grand Ballroom A&B**
- 10:45 am      **Inter-jurisdictional Break-out Sessions**

**Professional Affinity Group**

Domestic Violence Victim Advocates (VA)  
Law Enforcement (LE)  
Prosecuting Attorneys (PA)  
Civil Legal Attorneys (CLA)  
Courts (CT)

**Meeting Room**

Grand Ballroom A&B  
Oriental A  
Hillwood  
Garden II  
Gallery

Other (O) & Technical Assistant Providers (TA): Please join the group of your preference.

11:45 pm      **Break**

12:00 pm      **Lunch, Oriental Ballroom B&C**

12:30 pm      **Lunch Plenary Panel**  
**Federal Firearms Guidelines and Sentencing**  
***Oriental Ballroom B&C***

***Mary Beth Buchanan***, U.S. Attorney, Western District of Pennsylvania

***Fanny Haselbacher***, Assistant General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Investigation

***Nancy Oliver***, Division Counsel, ATF, Baltimore Field Division

This session will provide a summation of key changes and provisions to the Federal Firearms Laws. Participants will be informed of how the US Attorneys offices can play a vital role in enhancing sentencing and ensuring federal firearms laws are upheld.

1:30 pm      **Break**

1:45 p.m.      **Topical Presentations**

*Participants will select a topic based on their preference. Presentations at a glance and full descriptions are included in Tab 2 of the participant binder.*

**Forensic Examinations: VAWA 2005 Certifications**

***Debra A. Bright***, National Technical Assistance Project Director, VAWA Forensic Compliance Project, Maryland Coalition Against Sexual Assault  
***Grand Ballroom A&B***

**Accessibility of Victim Services**

***Jan Langbein***, Senior Policy Advisor, OVW, and ***Carole Warshaw, MD***, Director, National Center on Domestic Violence, Trauma and Mental Health  
***Grand Ballroom A&B***

**Prosecuting Domestic Violence Cases After Crawford v. Washington and Giles v. California**

**Cindy Dyer, J.D.**, Director, Office on Violence Against Women  
*Hillwood*

**Handling Rape Cases with Voluntarily Intoxicated Victims**

**Jennifer Long**, Director, NCPVAW, American Prosecutors Research Institute  
*Gallery*

**Collaboration between Law Enforcement and Victim Advocates in Prince George's County -**

**Michael Jackson**, Sheriff, Prince George's County, MD  
*Oriental A*

**Enhancing Investigation of Sexual Assault Cases**

**Sgt. Liz Donegan**, Austin, TX, Police Department  
*Garden II*

**Domestic Violence Dynamics and Accountability in the Courtroom: A Facilitated Discussion of Challenges in Practice**

**Honorable Peter Macdonald**, retired District Judge, Commonwealth of Kentucky  
*Garden I*

**Immigration Options for Immigrant Victims of Sexual and Domestic Violence: What Courts, Law Enforcement and Victim Advocates Need to Know**

**Leslye Orloff**, Associate VP & Director, Immigrant Women Program, Legal Momentum  
*Hirshhorn*

2:45 pm      **Refreshment Break, foyer, Grand Ballroom A&B**

3:00 pm      **High Profile Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Cases: Coordinated Media Responses**

**Cheryl O'Donnell**, Communications Director, National Network to End Domestic Violence /media representatives  
*Grand Ballroom A&B*

The panel will discuss domestic violence and sexual assault stories that have been recently covered, the processes they used to cover the stories and the challenges they incurred while organizing the story. They will also provide an overview of the types of information that are needed from advocates, law enforcement, and courts to responsibly cover these cases. Participants will develop strategies for a coordinated media response to

high profile domestic violence and sexual assault cases in the Washington D.C. Metropolitan Region.

3:45 pm      **Break**

4:00 pm      **Topical Presentations**  
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**Tailoring our Responses to Victims of Domestic Violence**

*Anne P. Munch, J.D.*, Director, Ending Violence Against Women  
**Grand Ballroom A&B**

***Understanding the Full Scope of Witness Tampering & Expanding Forfeiture***

*Sara Buel, JD*, Clinical Professor, University of Texas School of Law  
Domestic Violence Clinic  
**Grand Ballroom A&B**

**Investigation & Prosecution: A Collaborative Approach**

*Paul Dedinsky*, Assistant District Attorney, Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office, Domestic Violence Unit  
**Oriental A**

**The San Diego Stalking Strike Force: A Multi-Disciplinary Approach to Assessing and Managing Stalking and Threat Cases**

*Rachel Solov*, Deputy District Attorney IV, San Diego District Attorney's Office  
**Garden I**

**Police Perpetrated Domestic Violence: Impact of the Crystal Judson Act**

*David Thomas*, Assistant Director, Domestic Violence Education Program at Johns Hopkins University  
**Gallery**

**Culturally Sensitive Investigations**

*Brett Parson*, Sergeant, Metropolitan Police Department  
*Condencia Brade*, Sisters of Color Ending Sexual Assault  
**Hirshhorn**

**Full Faith and Credit – Firearms for Judges -**

*Honorable Lee Satterfield*, Judge, DC Courts  
*Millicent Shaw Phipps*, Center on Full Faith and Credit  
**Garden II**

**Custody Issues in Domestic Violence Cases: A View from the Bench**  
*Honorable William Jackson, Judge, DC Superior Court*  
*Hillwood*

5:00 pm      **Break**

5:15 pm      **Closing remarks**  
*Honorable Cindy Dyer, J.D., Director, Office on Violence Against Women*  
*Grand Ballroom A&B*

5:30 pm      **Meeting adjourned for the day**

**Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup>**

7:30 am        **Continental Breakfast**  
***Grand Ballroom C***

8:30 am        **Welcome**  
***Honorable Cindy Dyer, J.D.*** Director, OVW  
***Grand Ballroom A&B***

**Introduction of TA providers**  
***Lori Crowder***, STAAR Project

8:45 am        **Hearing Voices of Survivors**  
***Tonya Speed***, Senior Vice President, The Washington Group  
**Survivor**

9:15 am        Break

9:30 am        **Intra-jurisdictional Break out groups** – break out by state in the  
following rooms – table tents will designate table assignments

**Jurisdiction**

Washington, D.C.  
Virginia  
West Virginia  
Pennsylvania  
Delaware  
Maryland

**Meeting Room**

Grand Ballroom B  
Hirshhorn  
Garden I  
Garden II  
Sackler  
Hillwood

10:35am        **Refreshment Break, foyer, *Grand Ballroom A&B***

10:45 am        **Inter-jurisdictional Action Planning Sessions**

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your preference.

11:40 am        **Coffee break in foyer, *Grand Ballroom A&B***

12:00 pm        **Lunch – *Grand Ballroom A&B***

- 12:30 pm      **NCIC: Enhancing Offender Accountability - Whose responsibility is it? Courts or law enforcement?**  
  
                 *Fanny Haselbacher*, Assistant General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Investigation
- 1:30 pm      **Next Steps**  
                 *Honorable Cindy Dyer, J.D.*, Director, Office on Violence Against Women  
  
                 **Closing remarks**  
                 *Honorable Michael B. Mukasey, Attorney General*
- 2:00 pm      **Meeting concludes**
- 2:30 pm      **Optional site visit to DC Victim Service Center**